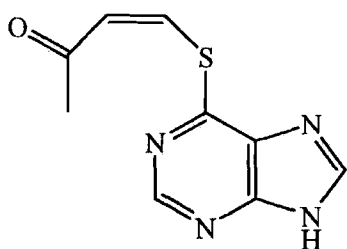


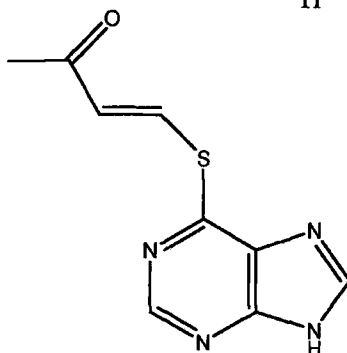
CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Original) A method for inhibiting replication of an RNA virus comprising contacting said RNA virus with a replication-inhibiting amount of a compound having the formula:



Compound I or



Compound II

2. (Original) A method according to claim 1, wherein said RNA virus is a flavivirus.

3. (Original) A method according to claim 2, wherein said flavivirus is hepatitis C virus (HCV) or bovine diarrhea virus (BVDV).

4. (Original) A method according to claim 1, wherein said contacting occurs *in vivo*.

5. (Original) A method according to claim 1, wherein said contacting occurs in a glutathione rich cell or tissue.

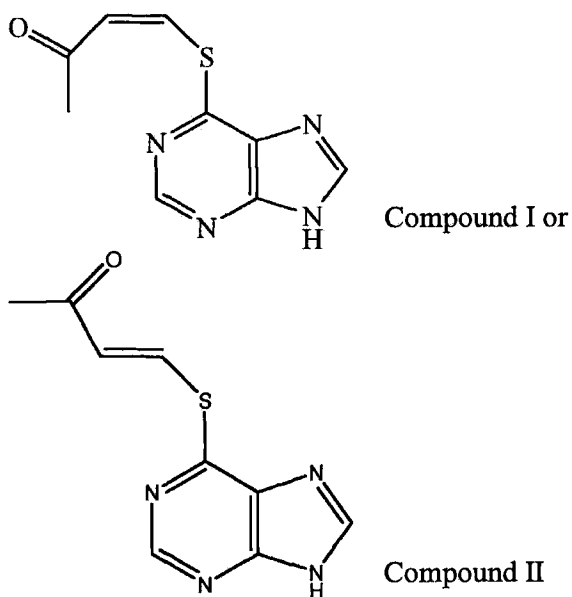
6. (Original) A method according to claim 5, wherein said cell or tissue is liver, kidney or gastrointestinal tract tissue.

7. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1, wherein said compound (I) or (II) is associated with a targeting agent.

8. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 1, wherein said compound further comprises a glycoside.

9. – 10. (Canceled)

11. (Original) A method for inhibiting replication of an RNA virus in a host comprising administering to a host in need thereof a pharmaceutical composition including a therapeutically effective amount of a compound having the formula:



12. (Original) A method according to claim 11, wherein said RNA virus is a flavivirus.

13. (Original) A method according to claim 12, wherein said flavivirus is hepatitis C virus (HCV).

14. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 11, wherein compound (I) or (11) is associated with a targeting agent.

15. (Original) A method according to claim 11, wherein said host is a liver transplant patient.

16. (Withdrawn) A method according to claim 11, wherein said compound further comprises a glycoside.

17. – 20. (Canceled)